Forecast For Highland & Eilean Siar
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Headline:
A very cold start. Bright. Rain and snow tonight.

Today:
A bright but very cold start for many, perhaps some mist and freezing fog. Sunny spells, but cloud thickening from the west with rain pushing into the Western Isles this afternoon. Southwesterly winds freshening around the west coast. Maximum temperature 4 deg C (39 deg F).

Tonight:
Rain and snow pushing into most areas during this evening. Rain around the west coast, but readily turning to sleet and snow as it moves inland. Clear spells by dawn. Minimum temperature -3 deg C (27 deg F).

Thursday:
A bright day with wintry showers, these turning to snow at most levels during the day. Feeling cold in the fresh northerly winds, these strong at times around the coast. Maximum temperature 4 deg C (39 deg F).

Outlook for Friday to Sunday:
Scattered snow showers on Friday, otherwise bright and cold. Patchy light rain pushing in from the west on Saturday, perhaps heavy across the far north on Sunday. Turning milder.

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